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January 24, 1947. Judiciary 1. By WEISS, HUMBERT.

## A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section six hundred thirty-eight point one (638.1), Code 1946, relating to the appointment of a referee.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 Section 1. Section six hundred thirty-eight point one
- 2 (638.1), Code 1946, is hereby amended by striking the
- 3 following: ", whenever in the opinion of the court it seems
- 4 fit and proper,".

## EXPLANATION OF H. F. 109

In many cases a judge appoints an outside party as referee of an estate. The fee should be paid in all cases to the county clerk. Some judges appoint the wife of the county clerk, and she receives the fee and her husband does the work, and consequently the county loses that fee.